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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yoshiaki Matsuzaki et al.

Serial No. 09/921,943

Group Art Unit: 2175

Confirmation No. 8373

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Examiner: Apu M. Mofiz

For: INFORMATION RETRIEVAL/DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, COMPUTER READABLE
STORAGE MEDIUM, AND PROGRAM FOR INFORMATION
RETRIEVAL/DISTRIBUTION

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 16, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on March 16, 2004. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to May 17, 2004 (May 16 a Sunday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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